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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Eduard JORSWIECK et al.

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For:

MIMO SIGNAL PROCESSING METHOD INVOLVING A RANK-ADAPTIVE MATCHING

OF THE TRANSMISSION RATE

SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on December 3, 2007 and having a period for response set to expire on January 3, 2008.

The Notice indicates that the previous amendment fails to provide a complete listing of all claims. This is apparently directed to claims 2-10, which were not separately indicated as being cancelled. To correct this defect, the listing of the claims now indicates that claims 2-10 are cancelled. Otherwise, the text of this document is the same as the Amendment filed on December 15, 2005.

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Before examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows: